

At page 6, lines 11-12:

A5 Yet still another aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system, wherein:

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A6 Still yet another aspect of the present invention a power consumption system, wherein said power management means holds information concerning the degree of energy savings of said special price exclusive apparatus and said fee charging means determines the amount of additional charge to be added based on said information concerning the degree of energy savings.

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A7 A further aspect of the present invention a power consumption system, wherein said power management means holds information concerning the degree of energy savings of said operational means and/or information concerning the degree of energy savings of said energy saving control means and said fee charging means determines said amount of additional charge based on said information concerning the degree of energy savings of said operational means and/or said information concerning the degree of energy savings of said energy saving control means.

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A8 A still further aspect of the present invention a power consumption system, comprising an automatic measurement means for preparing measurement information by adding the amount of power consumption measured by said power management means and said information concerning the degree of energy savings and for making a notification of said prepared measurement information to said fee charging means via a network.

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A9 A yet further aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system, wherein said network is a distribution line conveyance, the Internet, an exclusive line, a telephone line or a wireless means.

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A10 A till yet further aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system, wherein:

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A11 An additional aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system comprising:

At page 8, line 25 and page 9, line 1:

A12 A still additional aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system comprising:

At page 10, lines 1-2:

A13 A yet additional aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system comprising:

At page 10, line 25 to page 11, line 1:

A14 A still yet additional aspect of the present invention a power consumption system , wherein, in the case that the manufacturer that has sold said energy saving control means is different from the manufacturer that has sold said mode selectable apparatus, when said mode selectable apparatus is utilized in said special price mode,

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A15 A supplementary aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system , wherein said power management means holds information concerning the degree of energy savings of said mode selectable apparatus and said fee charging means determines said amount of additional charge based on said information concerning the degree of energy savings.

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A16 A still supplementary aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system , wherein said power management means holds information concerning the degree of energy savings of said operational means and/or information concerning the degree of energy savings of said energy saving control means and said fee charging means determines said amount of additional charge based on said information concerning the degree of energy savings of said operational means and/or said information concerning the degree of energy savings of said energy saving control means.

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A17 A yet supplementary aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system , wherein comprising an automatic measurement means for preparing measurement information by adding the amount of power consumption measured by said power management means and said information concerning the degree of energy savings and for making a notification of said prepared measurement information to said fee charging means via a network.

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A still yet supplementary aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system , wherein said network is a distribution line conveyance, the Internet, an exclusive line, a telephone line or a wireless means.

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Another aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system , wherein:

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Another aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system, comprising a display means installed in the home of said user, which receives said measurement information prepared by said automatic measurement means, which converts said added amount of power consumption into a fee based on said measurement information and which displays the fee.

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Yet still another aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system , wherein:

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Still yet another aspect of the present invention is a power consumption system comprising:

At page 13, line 25 and page 14, lines 3-4:

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A further aspect of the present invention is a medium for containing a program and/or data which allow a computer to carry out the entirety of, or a part of, the functions of the entirety of, or a part of, a power consumption system, said medium can be processed by a computer.

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A still further aspect of the present invention is an information assembly characterized by being a program and/or data which allow a computer to carry out the entirety of, or a part of, the functions of the entirety of, or a part of, a power consumption system.

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A25 Fig 1 is a drawing showing a configuration of a power consumption system and method according to the first embodiment of the present invention;

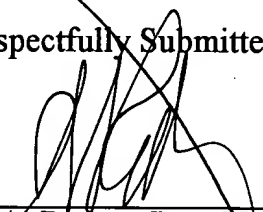
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A26 Fig 4 is a diagram showing a configuration of a power consumption system and method according to the second embodiment of the present invention;

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A27 Fig 1 shows a configuration of the power consumption system and method according to the present embodiment.

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